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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF SOVIET PRESS - NOV 11

1. U.S.:

-- PRAVDA CARRIES TASS PRAGUE ITEM CITING "RUDE PRAVO" SHARPLY

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CRITICIZING FORMATION IN U.S. OF "SO-CALLED 'SPECIAL

CONGRESSIONAL COMMISSION" ON CSCE IMPLEMENTATION.  
PURPOSE OF GROUP, SAYS ARTICLE, IS FOR U.S. CONGRESS  
TO INTERFERE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF SOVEREIGN COUNTRIES.  
RUDE PRAVO ASKS HOW U.S. WOULD LIKE PARLIAMENT OF  
ANOTHER COUNTRY TO INVESTIGATE LIVES AND RIGHTS OF  
"NEGROES", PUERTO RICANS, MEXICANS, AND INDIANS IN U.S.  
GROUP SHOULD STAY HOME, ARTICLE CONTINUES, AND SHOULD  
NOT BE SURPRISED TO MEET CLOSED DOORS ABROAD.

-- PRAVDA ALSO CARRIES TASS WASHINGTON ITEM  
REPORTING OPPOSITION BY "WIDE CIRCLES OF AMERICAN  
SOCIETY" TO "GIGANTIC MILITARY SPENDING." ARTICLE  
CITES CALL BY "COALITION FOR A NEW FOREIGN AND MILITARY  
POLICY" TO DIVERT FUNDS TO SOCIAL NEEDS.

2. OTHER COVERAGE:

-- GIEREK VISIT CONTINUES TO RECEIVE VERY HEAVY  
COVERAGE, WITH FINE SOVIET LEADERSHIP TURNOUT,  
SIGNATURE OF "JOINT DECLARATION" (TO BE PUBLISHED ON  
GIEREK'S DEPARTURE FROM USSR), MEETING WITH BREZHNEV  
AND GIEREK APPEARANCE ON SOVIET TV (ALSO DESCRIBED BY  
TASS IN PRESS). "UNITY OF VIEWS AND POSITIONS" (IN  
NEGOTIATIONS) AND "CORDIALITY AND FULL UNITY OF  
VIEWS" (WITH BREZHNEV) APPEAR, ON EVIDENCE OF PRINTED  
OUTPUT, TO CENTER MAINLY ON CONSOLIDATION OF  
"SOCIALIST CAMP" AND INTERNATIONAL COMMUNIST MOVEMENT.  
JAROSZEWCZ STATEMENT AT POLISH DINNER FOR HOSTS NOV 10  
FEATURED BREZHNEV AND BOTH "SOCIALIST" AND "PROLETARIAN"  
INTERNATIONALISM; KOSYGIN REPLY STRESSED "COMMONALITY"  
OF CLASS INTERESTS AND GOALS OF POLITICAL AVANT-GARDES,  
AND ALSO BREZHNEV. KOSYGIN CONCLUDED THAT "THE DECISIVE  
FACTOR IN (OUR) COOPERATION WAS AND IS POLITICAL UNITY  
OF OUR FRATERNAL COMMUNIST PARTIES."

-- SOVIET CC GREETINGS TO PORTUGUESE CP FOR 7TH  
CONGRESS (PONOMAREV DEPARTED HEADING SOV DEL) ENLIVEN  
ROUTINE BOLEROPLATE WITH UNUSUAL PASSAGE ON HOW PCP  
DEVOTION TO PROLETARIAN INTERNATIONALISM HAS STRENGTHENED  
ITS POSITION IN COMMUNIST MOVEMENT, AND HOW ITS  
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UNCOMPROMISING STRUGGLE AGAINST "ANTICOMMUNISM AND  
ANTISOVIETISM" IS A "REAL MANIFESTATION OF PROLETARIAN  
INTERNATIONALISM."

-- KZ AND IZVESTIYA CONTINUE REPORTING ON PERE-  
GRINATIONS OF ROMANIAN DEFMIN COMAN, WHO ARRIVED NOV 9  
AND MET WITH SOVIET COUNTERPART USTINOV SAME DAY.

-- PRAVDA HAS WHAT LOOKS LIKE SWAN SONG ON NUF  
TREATY PROPOSAL IN LONG DEFENSIVE PIECE POINTING OUT  
HOW TREATY WILL NOT CALL INTO QUESTION ANYBODY'S  
RIGHTS, COMMITMENTS OR INTERESTS AND DOES NOT CONFLICT  
WITH UN CHARTER. ADDITIONALLY, SAYS AUTHOR V. LEVONOV,  
NUF IS ESPECIALLY SIGNIFICANT IN THESE DAYS WHEN LOCAL  
CONFLICTS CAN "EASILY" TURN INTO WORLD NUCLEAR WAR.

-- PENTAGON AND NATO COMMANDER HAIG COME IN FOR  
PARTICULARLY STRONG CRITICISM, FORMER IN KZ FOR TRYING  
TO SEPND APPARENT SURPLUS \$16 BILLION OF APPROPRIATIONS  
AND LATTER IN PRAVDA'S COMMENTATOR'S COLUMN WHERE SCANDINAVIA  
CORRESPONDENT YURIY KUZNETSOV CLAIMS GENERAL HAIG IS TRYING TO "POISO  
N  
INTERNATIONAL ATMOSPHERE" WITH MILITARY MANEUVERS AND  
REMINDERS OF "SOVIET THREAT, ESPECIALLY ON NATO FLANKS," HAIG  
AND NATO RECEIVE KZ ATTENTION, ALSO, ON OCCASION OF VISIT OF SPANISH  
DELEGATION TO NATO HEADQUARTERS THUS DEMONSTRATING  
CONTINUING ATTEMPT BY U.S. AND HAIG TO STRENGTHEN NATO'S  
WEAKENED SOUTHERN FLANK.

-- PRAVDA HAS TASS CAIRO ITEM REPORTING SADAT'S  
REMARKS TO U.S. CODEL. SADAT REPORTEDLY APPROVED OF  
"ANY SORT OF GUARANTEES" INCLUDING A MUTUAL DEFENSE  
PACT BETWEEN THE U.S. AND ISRAEL WHICH WOULD "CALM"  
ISRAEL. HE ALSO REPORTEDLY EXPRESSED HIS READINESS TO  
ACCEPT DEPLOYMENT OF UN TROOPS OR "SOME OTHER KIND OF  
TROOPS" ON THE EGYPTIAN-ISRAELI BORDER AND AT SHARM  
ASH-SHAYKH.

--IZVESTIYA CAIRO CORRESPONDENT R. MOSEYEV CITES  
CHANGE OF EGYPTIAN MINISTERS OF FINANCE, ECONOMY, AND  
HOUSING AND RECONSTRUCTION AS EVIDENCE THAT "OPEN  
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DOOR" POLICY IS NOT SUCCEEDING.

-- IZVESTIYA HAS "RETORT" BY V. BORISOV  
TO CHIEF OF ISRAELI GENERAL STAFF GUR'S RECENT COMMENT  
THAT ENTRY OF JOINT ARAB FORCE INTO LEBANON REPRESENTS  
A SERIOUS THREAT FOR ISRAEL.

-- TODAY IS ANGOLA DAY IN CENTRAL PRESS. PRAVDA  
CARRIES SOVIET LEADERSHIP CABLE TO ANGOLAN LEADERSHIP  
ON OCCASION OF FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. KZ  
HAS SIMILAR CABLE FROM MINDEF MARSHAL USTINOV TO HIS  
ANGOLAN COUNTERPART CARREIRA. PRAVDA, IZVESTIYA, AND  
KZ ALL CARRY SIGNED ARTICLES GIVING SOVIET  
VERIOUS OF ANGOLAN EVENTS OF LAST YEAR. MOST INTERESTING  
IS KZ ACCOUNT BY V. CHIRKOV. CHIRKOV LABELS HOLDEN

ROBERTO A "NOT UNKONWN AGENT OF CIA," DEFENDS INTERVENTION OF CUBAN TROOPS IN RESPONSE TO REQUEST OF "LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT" OF ANGOLA, LAUDS PROCESS OF NATIONALIZATION IN COUNTRY, AND EMPHASIZES SOVIET-ANGOLAN MILITARY RELATIONSHIP NOW BASED ON ARTICLE 10 OF SOVIET-ANGOLAN FRIENDSHIP TREATY.

-- CENTRAL NEWSPAPERS PRINT PRC REPLY TO SOVIET MESSAGE ON PRC NATIONAL DAY.

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